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REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

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Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions for a 3 month extension of time to respond to the Office Action mailed April 2, 2008, thereby extending the time period within which to respond to October 2, 2008. The three month Petition fee of \$1,050 is being charged to Deposit Account No. 02-3978 via electronic authorization submitted concurrently herewith. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayments as a result of the filing of this paper to Deposit Account No. 02-3978.

In response to the Office Action dated April 2, 2008, Applicant requests reconsideration of the claims for reasons set forth in the following remarks.